IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.:	Group Art Unit:
Filed: September 27, 2000	Examiner:

For: CONTROL UNIT AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING MOTOR
FOR USE IN PRINTER, AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING CONTROL PROGRAM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

   Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

   Page 12:   at line 1 please delete the equation in favor of:

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$$J \; = \; \frac{I_{acc} \; - I_f}{\dfrac{\Delta \omega}{\Delta t}}$$

$$= \; \frac{I_{acc} \; - \; I_f}{\left\{ \dfrac{\left(\dfrac{\alpha}{T_K} \; - \; \dfrac{\alpha}{T_2} \right)}{(T_2 \; + \; T_1)} \right\}} \qquad ..... \quad (1)$$